

CINCPAC HEADQUARTERS

Pearl Harbor Naval Base, Oahu, Honolulu vicinity

This reinforced-concrete structure commemorates Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, commander in chief of the Pacific Fleet (CINCPAC) during World War II. Here, from 1942 through 1944, Nimitz commanded all American land, sea, and air forces in the Central and North Pacific. "A superb leader of men," Nimitz oversaw the Aleutians campaign, the Battle of Midway, and the liberation of Guam.